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In re Application of:

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO COMPLY AND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to the examination of the above application, please amend this application to replace the sequence listing as filed on January 12, 2001, with page 1 of the attached sequence listing. In response to the Notice to Comply, Applicants submit concurrently with this response a copy of the sequence listing in computer readable form and a Statement Under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821. Applicants believe that the application now complies with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821-1.825.

If there is any fee due in connection with the filing of this Response and Preliminary Amendment, please charge the fee to Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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